



Wirt Ghawdex

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Press Release

As part of its 30th anniversary activities, **Wirt Ghawdex** is continuing with its efforts to increase awareness and appreciation of our island's heritage by organizing a series of free, public lectures over the coming months.

Details of the first one are as follows:

Saturday February 26th, 2011 - 'An introduction to Maltese Biodiversity'

- Lecturer: Alfred E. Baldacchino

Place: **Gozo NGOs' Centre, Xewkija**

Time: **10:30am**

This will look at some of the wild flora and fauna that can be found in the natural habitats in the Maltese islands, so that one can have an idea of the richness of our biodiversity and the potential it has from an educational, economic and social aspects. After the short break for lunch there will be an educational walk where participants can see some flora and fauna which adorn the natural environment at this time of the year.

The other lectures are scheduled for:

- **Friday, March 18th, 2011 - 'Malta's Link with Atlantis'** – Lecturer - Francis Aloisio
- **Friday, April 15th, 2011 - 'Comino: Its Archaeological and Historical Heritage'** - Lecturer: Keith Buhagiar
- **Saturday, May 7th, 2011** A walk on Comino to visit the **Archaeological and Historical Heritage sites** (this is a follow up to the last lecture) – Guide: Keith Buhagiar
- **Friday, May 27th, 2011 – 'Comino's Place in Maltese Politics'** - Lecturer: Dr Edward Warrington

Details of time and place will be issued closer to the respective lectures and can be checked on our website www.wirtghawdex.org.

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